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**ANNOUNCING A
NEW
"FIND A NOTARY" REGISTRY**

The Department of the Secretary of State has created a new online registry that will make it possible for the public to easily search for notaries public that serve their communities. To search for a notary in your area click [here](#).

The "Find a Notary" online registry is free for notaries and the public. Notaries are able to list their contact information on the Department's website including: the counties they serve, the hours and days of their availability, languages they speak and whether they provide eNotary services. Citizens seeking a notary can search the registry based on these criteria.

This new registry is a great way for notaries public, to get the word out about the services they provide, while giving citizens a reliable way to locate a notary on the weekend or find a notary who speaks a particular foreign language.

North Carolina notaries who want to be listed on the Find a Notary Registry may click [here](#) to register for the service and then select the information from their profile that they wish to have displayed on the website. The notary decides what, if any, information is made available to the public. Participation of notaries on the Find a Notary Registry is completely voluntary and optional; notaries WILL NOT automatically be added to the Find a Notary Registry.

The Department is very excited about offering the new Find a Notary Registry online to better serve the citizens of North Carolina and to better promote the services of North Carolina Notaries Public.